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The Gazette.

PHILADELPHIA,

MONDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 17.

DIED,

On Friday evening last, Mr. John Fenno, late Editor and Proprietor of this Gazette.

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The Gazette of the United States will in future be published under the direction of *John Ward Fenno*, son of the deceased.

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Died—at Milestown, on Thursday morning, Mr. John Holton, one of the clerks of the bank of Pennsylvania.

——, at Germantown, on Wednesday, Mr. Robert Hartshorne, son of Patterson Hartshorne, merchant of this city, after an illness of four days. His death was occasioned by a severe fracture of the leg, in jumping out of a chair. By this sad accident his afflicted parents are bereaved of an *only* son and a dutiful child, just entering the bloom of life.

——, On Tuesday night last, Thomas Service, aged ten years, son of Mr. John Service, of this city.

——, Saturday morning, in the seventeenth year of his age, Mr. Thomas Burnside, brother of William Burnside, grocer of this city.

——, Yesterday Mr. Isaac Price, watch maker, one of the committee of health.

—— Henry Hill, esqr.

——, 13th inst. of a short but severe illness, William Martin, a respectable mechanic of this city.

——, Friday last, Patrick Cassidy, printer.

DONATIONS,

Received at the Tents near Schuylkill, for the use of the Poor.

September 14.

Cash fifty dollars from the inhabitants of the village of Halborough, as follows:

Betsey Stedman	10	Isaac Tomkins	3
Gallows Shewell	10	John Thomas	2
Joshua Longstreth	5	David Parry	2
Elizabeth Ferguson	5	Sam. Shoemaker	2
Susan Longstreth	5	Jos. Longstreth	1
Nicholas Austin	4		

Eleven sheep, a quantity of pickled pork, smoked jowls and hams, 2 bags and one bushel of rye meal, twenty bushels potatoes, 14 ditto beer, twenty four shad, several couple of fowls, three potts of butter and some cabbages, from Mr. Joshua Howell, in behalf of the inhabitants of Gloucester, New Jersey, delivered by Mr. Thomas West.

Fifty bushels potatoes, and a remarkable fine ox, from Mr. Richardett.

Two large cart load of potatoes, onions, cabbages, beets and apples collected by Mr. Nicholas Pickel, from Messrs. Messmer, Lentz, Trustam, Sink, Sheller, Nobank, Woolner, D. Young, Benner, Lodge and Simon, in the neck.

September 15.

Eleven cords of pine wood, two hundred salt shad and a quantity of potatoes from Mr. Joshua L. Howell, in behalf of the inhabitants of Gloucester, New Jersey, delivered by capt. John Tatem, also a bundle of old linen, for the Marine and City Hospital.

One hundred bundles straw from Mr. Geo. Green.

Cash two dollars, from Mr. Allen Roberts, to be continued weekly during the prevailing fever.

A small quantity of fish from Mr. Davey.

Twenty six barrels store bread from Mr. Ralph Mather.

Cash, twenty dollars from Mr. William Wilson, Fredericksburg, Virginia.

Thirty six fat sheep, collected by Messrs. Caspar Wistar, P. Price, jun. and others in their neighbourhood.

Fifteen hundred feet sap boards, from Messrs. Price and Worrell.

September 16.

Four barrels apples, from Mr. William Hunter, Passyunk.

One keg of Tamarinds, left at the upper ferry, by a person unknown.

By order of the Committee.

PETER MEIRCKEN,
Chairman.

Sept. 17.

DONATIONS,

Received at the encampment at Master's place, for the use of the poor.

Sept. 14.

From Peter Stephen Duponceau, Esq. Fifty Dollars.

September 15.

From a person unknown, a load straw.

George Kinsinger, 10 bushels potatoes, a fine fat sheep, and half a bushel onions.

From a person unknown, a bundle of warm clothing, and a doz. large loaves of bread.

From Benj. Chew, jun. Esq. 15 bushels of potatoes and 6 do apples.

From Saml. R. Franklin, a cart load of apples.

From Richard Hill Morris, 1000 feet of boards.

From Mr. Dubbs, two tierces of Rice.

John Inskeep,
Jona. Robeson, } Committe.
Isaac W. Morris,

Bitter herbs, particularly Centaury will be very acceptable.

☞ Those Citizens who have LINEN to spare will render a public service by sending it to the City Hall, for the use of the City Hospital.

CITY HOSPITAL REPORT.

FOR SEPTEMBER 16.

Admitted—TWENTY-SEVEN for the last forty-eight hours.

Died—FOURTEEN.

Discharged, cured—THIRTEEN.

Remaining in the Hospital 135, of whom 35 are on the recovery.

Interred in the Hospital Ground,

From City Hospital	14
City and Liberties	47
Total	61.

PHILIP S. PHYSICK.
Christopher Darrah, Steward.
By order of the Board of Managers.
WILLIAM JONES, President.
Attest—Timothy Paxson, Clerk.

ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-EIGHT new cases of the vailing fever, reported by 20 Physicians, for the last 48 hours.

☞ BURIALS in the City and Hospital burying grounds, for the 24 hours, ending last evening at 8 o'clock—Adults, 50—Children, 10.

City-Hospital, Sept. 6, 1798.

A good Cook and faithful Nurses will find immediate employ and generous wages by applying to

CHRISTOPHER DARRAH,
Steward of the City Hospital.

☞ The Health Office is kept open night and day, at the City Hall, where every necessary convenience is procured for removing the sick and burying the dead.

WILLIAM ALLEN.

At a Meeting of a Respectable Number of the Inhabitants of Chester County, held at the Centre House in West Bradford Township, for the purpose of nominating a suitable Person for Representative in Congress, and also a suitable Person for State Senator,

The following Persons were recommended to their fellow-citizens for the following offices.

RICHARD THOMAS, *Esquire*
Representative in Congress for the District composed of the counties of Chester and Delaware.

DENNIS WHELEN, *Esquire*
State Senator, for the District composed of the counties of Chester, Montgomery, and Bucks.

Resolved, that the Proceedings of this Meeting be published in the public newspapers.

Signed by Order of the Meeting,
ISAAC WAYNE, *Chairman.*
Joseph Hemphill, *Secr'y.*
September 7th.

LITERARY ARTICLE.

The printing apparatus of the *propaganda* of Rome, is to be transported from thence to Paris. It contains every requisite for printing books in twenty eight different languages, particularly the Oriental. Six of the compositors employed in it have set off for Paris. Among the types are those for printing the *Sanskrit* language, which has sixteen vowels, and thirty-four consonants, and the Hindoos or invented by the Bramas for the purpose of recording therein their philosophical and religious mysteries.

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☞ THE Committee are happy in having it in their power to inform those citizens who are not in a situation to provide for themselves and are desirous to remove from the city or liberties, that they are now prepared to receive from 6 to 700 persons at the Encapment on Master's Place, in the Northern Liberties where such persons will be furnished with comfortable apartments and necessary provisions during the present calamity.

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From a London Paper.

SIEGE OF LYONS.

Even those who admire the French revolution, cannot view the following scene but with horror and detestation. It is a faithful picture of the memorable siege of Lyons, and may serve to show the savage ferocity of all the Jacobins, when the chance of war favours their diabolical designs.

"During the space of sixty days, they (the Lyonese) withstood an army of fifteen times their strength, plentifully provisioned, and provided with every instrument of destruction. Never perhaps, were there such feats of valour performed as by this little army; thrice their numbers did they lay dead before their injured city. The besieged then seeing no hopes of a capitulation; seeing the city without another day's provision, and the total impossibility of succour from without, being completely invested on every side, had but one measure to adopt—to cut their way through the enemy or fail in the attempt. A plan of retreat was therefore settled upon; the out posts were to be called in, and the whole were to assemble at the Vaise. It was midnight when they began their retreat, lightened by the blaze of bombs and burning houses. Reader cast your eyes on this devoted city. See children cling to their fathers, distracted mothers to their sons; wives, holding in their arms what they held dearer than life, forgetting all but their husbands marching by their side, and braving death by ten thousand hands! But what were they to do against fifty times their number? The whole, about fifty persons excepted, were either butchered, or taken, to gratify by torture, the barbarous disposition of the victors.

After viewing this scene of horror and dismay, what honest Englishman would wish for the triumph in this country, of the Corresponding Societies, whose fleeting reign would be rendered infamous by similar barbarities.

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The citizens of the city of Philadelphia, the Northern Liberties, and Southwark, are requested to meet at three o'clock, P. M. on Tuesday next, the 18th inst. at Richardet's Tavern, in Germantown to take into consideration the necessiety of furnishing employment for their distressed fellow citizens who are at present without any means of subsistence.

The great numbers now out of the city and unemployed, and of course destitute of the means of procuring bread, require the attention of the charitable and humane part of the community—To provide employment and the means of gaining a livelihood by honest industry, will be at once affording relief from distress, preventing idleness, the most dangerous situation in society, and will give an opportunity to commence, if not to complete some plan that may probably best answer the purpose of providing the city with salubrious air and pure water; and by the blessing of Providence, prevent a return of the present dreadful calamity under which Philadelphia suffers.

Germantown, *Sept.* 14.

*** WE are informed that Boxes for the daily conveyance of letters from Philadelphia, addressed for the Banks of Pennsylvania or North America, are lodged at the Post Office in the City, for the accommodation of those who choose to avail themselves of that mode of conveyance.

POST-OFFICE.

Philadelphia, September 15th, 1798.

LETTERS for the British Packet for Falmouth will be received at this Office until Tuesday, 2d October, at 12 o'clock, noon.

N. B. The inland postage to New-York must be paid.

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Germantown, September 1st, 1798.

Mr. Fenno,

Please to publish the following tickets for Select and Common Councils, at the approaching election, and oblige one of your fellow-citizens.

SELECT COUNCIL.

Godfrey Haga — Thomas Willing, jun.
Daniel Smith — Joseph Magoffin.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Lawrence Herbert
Henry Drinker, jun.
Gideon H. Wells
Casper W. Morris
Thomas P. Cope
George Pennock
Thomas Parker
Michael Kepple
Joseph Hopkinson
Kearney Wharton
Conrad Gerhard
George Fox
John Rugan
Edward Randolph
Malcolm M'Donnald
Joseph North (Union-street)
Levi Hollingsworth
George Willing
Edward Pennington
Jonathan Jones.

☞ A young Man in this city, capable of keeping books & accounts in different languages, would engage to any writing business, either by the day or week, during the prevailing sickness. Good recommendations can be produced.

A line directed to N. G. and left in Arch street, between Ninth and Tenth streets, at No. 124, will immediately be attended to. sept. 14.

FLOUR FOR SALE.

By the Subscribers,

Deliverable at any of the ports on the Delaware—who have also on hand at their stores, a quantity of Bar Iron, Pork and Corn—Letters by the post will be attended to.

Levi Hollingsworth & Son.

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FOR SALE,

A FARM on the road leading to State Island, within four and an half miles of Philadelphia, containing 45 acres in the highest state of cultivation—25 acres of which is meadow, the remainder upland. There are on the premises, a new frame House and Barn, with an excellent kitchen garden, containing a great number of frit Trees.—Immediate possession will be given.

For terms apply to

Thomas W. Francis,
No. 98 South Third street.

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W. Young,

BOOKSELLER & STATIONER,

INFORMS his friends and wholesale customers in the country, who find it disagreeable to enter the city during the present Fever, That orders will be received, and executed with all possible dispatch, at the

WHITE-HALL PRINTING OFFICE,

in the white building, above the Mile Stone, on the Ridge-Road.

*** His customers in the city are also informed that the Store in the City will be open, every day, Sunday excepted, from Nine until One of the clock.

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This Day is Published,

AND FOR SALE BY J. FENNO, 119, CHESNUT-STREET

AN ADDRESS

To the People of Maryland,

ON the origin, progress and present state of French aggression, with a sketch of the infamous attempts to degrade the Government of the United States, and some reflections on the late proceedings in Congress; written the last of April in the present year, by a Member of the House of Representatives. § june 11

BY THIS DAY'S MAIL.

NEW-YORK, Sept. 15.

BE WATCHFUL!

Night before last, fire was kindled in a necessary, in the rear of the two Banks, and had made considerable progress, when it was discovered by a woman, who extinguished it without giving an alarm.

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From an official examination, it has been found, that upon an average, each loaf of bread is now imposed upon citizens *seven* ounces too light! This is adding distress to calamity; and it is to be hoped, that those who have been guilty of so great a crime, will be legally handled.

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Died, On Thursday, in the meridian of his life, of the prevailing epidemic, Doctor *Edmund Hathaway*, late of England, deservedly regretted by all who knew him.

Yesterday morning, of the prevailing fever, Mr. *Medcef Eden*—an old and respectable inhabitant of this city.

Yesterday afternoon, of the present epidemic, Mr. *Thomas Greenleaf*, editor and proprietor of the Argus.

In the 16th year of her age, of the prevailing fever, Miss *Margaret Debow*, second daughter of Mr. Garret Debow, of this city.

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BURIALS in this city, for 24 hours, ending the day before yesterday—Men 23—Women 8—Children 8—28 of the prevailing fever.——Those from Bellevue included.

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BOSTON, September 12.

MORE "DIPLOMATIC SKILL."

Yesterday we had reports in circulation, that the United States armed brig Sophia, had been spoken with off the American coast having on board Mr. Gerry, and a French Envoy to the *U. States*. Tracing the reports, we found they come stage-wise from Baltimore, where the person who spoke tie Sophia, and who heard the Frenchman's name, had arrived. We immediately recurred to our latest Baltimore papers. In one of the 4th inst. we find the following article: "Capt. Boyle, arrived yesterday from Bourdeaux, received a letter the day before he sailed, from a very respectable and well informed gentleman at Paris, which informed him, that Mr. Gerry was to leave Paris for Havre in two days, accompanied by a French gentleman, whose object is to settle the misunderstanding between the two Republics." This article we believe to be the parent of the reports. Let us examine dates and circumstances. Capt. Boyle, arrived at Baltimore the 3d inst. after 70 days passage. Thus it appears he received the letter the 25th June, which must have been written at Paris as early as the 20th.—We have papers direct from Paris as late as the 10th July—which make no mention of the matter. It will be perfectly *à la mode de Talleyrand*. Divide to conquer is a French maxim.—— Deceptive negociation, and jesuitical pretensions to candour and desire of reconciliation will be French practice, now they know the citizens of the United States are not a "*divided people.*" God be praised, we have an Adams in our Senate, and a Washington ready to take the field. The former is perfectly acquainted with the "*diplomatic skill*" of the French—If three Envoys are sent, he will order them to be treated exactly as Messrs. *Pinckney, Marshall, and Gerry* have been treated in France:—But if only one is sent, he will unquestionably consider it as a fresh insult, and if he should set foot on American ground, will order him to quit the country as an alien enemy.

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The Packet letters from England all accord in the idea, that the French Directory deprecate an open war with the United States;—that they have heard of the spirit and unanimity which pervades the continent:—that they have received an agent from the Jefferson party, advising to temporising measures; and that the probability was they would send an Envoy or Envoys to try their skill in America.

The Emperor of Russia has improved upon the French Directory's press-gag plan. The latter swear that French printers may print; but that they shall print only what suits their sovereign will and pleasure;—whereas the Russian Director swears the printers shall print nothing. It is astonishing, with what facility one tyrant imitates another.

The Swedish government has been necessitated to emit a paper currency. In detailing the causes which has produced the necessity, they say, it is partly to be attributed, "To the reclamations which the Swedes have made, in vain, to the French government, for the sum of 15,000,000 rix dollars, the amount of the cargoes of the ships taken from them." If the Swedes had resented the fraternal squeezes of the French with American spirit, they would not have been left to make their idle reclamations; or to deplore a situation, the most degrading to a nation—that of omitting a paper medium.

RURAL GRATITUDE.

We learn with great pleasure, that a number of citizens of Braintree, Quincy, and adjacent towns, intend giving a public dinner to our illustrious fellow-citizen, the President of the United States, at the hall in Quincy, this day. Eulogy on this tribute of respect is unnecessary.

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COMMERCIALLY IMPORTANT.

A letter from a gentleman in London, to a respectable merchant in this town, dated July 4th informs:—"We have had some large arrivals within these few days. Eighteen ships belonging to our East India company; and the West-India convoy, consisting of 300 sail, have got in safe." Whether this is considered as successful to private adventure, an accumulation of revenue or augmentation of its naval forces, it is to Great-Britain highly important.

Eighteen young gentlemen were admitted to the degree of Bachelor of Arts, at the anniversary commencement at Rhode Island College, on Wednesday last.

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THE FEVER

We may say with truth, that the victims to the fever have not increased in ratio since our last. We give the official stateme of the Selectmen of Monday. They d not meet yesterday—we enquired of the several sextons, and heard of but three burials. When we reflect on the mortality which pervades many of our sister towns, we thank Heaven we can denominate ours "*the favored city.*"

Official Report.—Sept. 10.

The whole number now sick is 29.—O whom 1 is on the recovery. 5 have die since the return of the 7th inst.

By order of the Selectmen.

WILLIAM COOPER, *Town-Clerk*

From Capt. Weil's journal, Schooner Mermaid, from Jeremie.

August 12, at 8 o'clock A. M. cape St Anthony (west end of Cuba) bearing ESE distance 8 miles, the sea very smooth, I observed a sail boat making from the shore towards us. At nine they fired a swivel shot above our hull. I hoisted colours, and hove to, until they came within pistol shot. It proved a large Spanish built launch, with lattine sails, 12 oars, a carronade, four swivels, and 26 men, under the French national flag. After being informed from whence we came, ordered me to lower my sails, and give a rope for the launch. I demanded what he wanted; he said he was a pilot. I told him I did not want any, and ordered him to keep off. They damned me in French, Spanish, and English, still calling for a rope, and manned their oars to lay me on board. I fired a brace of balls among them, and ordered my helm a weather. This compliment was soon returned with a shower of swivel and musket shot. We were *six* in number, had seven muskets, nine pistols, four cutlasses, and two harpoons on board. A close and warm skirmish ensued during which they made two attempts to lay us along side; but reserving the fire of our pistols until close on board, they found a reception different from their expectations. Being thus disappointed in their *fraternal* anticipations, they turned stern to and made for the shore as fast as they came. Our wrangle continued upwards of forty minutes, several times in which they were less than twenty yards distance. I was so fortunate as to receive but little damage; having my shroud shot away, and my sails a little spotted with musketry. The greater part of the boat's crew were Spaniards, *a number of whom, I am sure, will be no further trouble.*

Aug. 18th, was brought to, and boarded by the schr. Nancy, of New Providence capt. Broadwater, who behaved very politely. Edward Brown, acting in capacity of mate entered on board the privateer, after having embezzled several articles.

Aug. 24, lat. 28, 00, long. 80 10, spoke the ship Fabius, of New-York, from the Havannah, for Philapelphia—out five days.

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SALEM, Sept 11.

Capt. Samuel Townsend arrived on Sunday from C. N. Mole. We learn, that while he lay there, the brigands from the mountains furiously assaulted a principal fort back of the town, and carried it after a vigorous defence. It was, however retaken by the British in a few hours afterwards with a great loss on the side of the victors. The assaults are so frequent from the brigands, that the town is almost untenable and the British have serious thoughts of abandoning it. Since they have been in possession of it, they have pursued a conduct towards the American commerce by no means calculated to ensure the advantages intended by the British Treaty.

Talleyrand's Friendship.

Capt. Silver, in the sch'r Sewell, arrived yesterday in 22 days from St. Pierre's, Martinique. With him came passenger Mr. J. Shepard jun. of this town, late mariner of the brig Diana, capt. Walker, of Boston owned by Messrs. Geyer, and which was captured, 15 days out, on her passage for Martinique, by a French frigate of 44 guns and 350 men, in lat. 34, 41, long. 58, 35 and all her hands (with the crew of the brig Vulture, capt. Walton, of Newbury port, which was captured 15 days before) put on board the brig Ceres, of Boston owned also by Messrs. Geyer, but being loaded with lumber only, was not considered worth capturing, especially as the pirate wished to get rid of the unfortunate Americans they had before captured (32 in number) They arrived at Martinique 15 days after they were captured and took passage for their several homes in different vessels. This frigate was to cruise as far to the northward as 38, and then proceed directly to France. She was from Cayenne.

Capt. Walton's brig was burnt immediately after her capture, while he was begging that he might have her with only one topsail—the infernals were inexorable—The brig Diana was to be burnt the next day after her capture. The capt. of her had taken passage in the brig Betsey, of and for Boston.

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☞ Remote Subscribers for this Gazette are requested to forward pr. post, the arrearages due from them respectively. Postmasters who may have received subscriptions are earnestly desired to remit the same. At this interesting and distressing crisis, attention to this notice will peculiarly oblige the Editor.

ALMS-HOUSE, August 16, 1798.

GENTLEMEN,

Please to take notice, that you are returned to serve as Guardians of the Poor for the ensuing twelve months, you are therefore requested to attend at the City Hall on the twenty fifth of September next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

By order of the Board,

JACOB LAWERSWYLER, *Secretary, pro tem.*

James M'Crea, James Glentworth, Samuel Price,	To succeed Walbro Frazier.
William Preston, Benjamin Price, Samuel Rhoads, Isaac T. Hopper,	To succeed Jeremiah Boon.
Bazel Wood, Manuel Eyres, James King,	To succeed Standish Forde.
Peter Keyser, Philip J. Dubois, John Servos,	To succeed John Ware.
Charles Swift, William Alexander, Nicholas Pickel, Charles Bastion,	To succeed Peter Miercken.
William Holderness, James Stokes, Richard Bailey, John Whitesides,	To succeed Joseph Anthony.
John Hood, Jacob Gribble, Joseph Huddle, jun. Joseph Conrad,	To succeed Alexander Steel.
John Davis, Joseph Simmons, Charles Pleasants, David Seckel,	To succeed William Beaven.
Samuel Getliff, John Waddington, William Read, William Cramond,	To succeed George Plumsted.
Daniel Boehm, Andrew Pettit, Joseph Walker, Jacob Ederborn,	To succeed Jacob Lawerswyler.

For Sale.

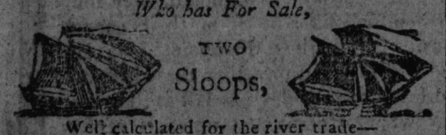
THE SUBSCRIBER intending to decline the DRUG BUSINESS, offers For Sale, the whole Stock of

Drugs and Medicines, Instruments, &c.

The shop is elegant commodious, and sufficiently known for the extensive business done in the wholesale and retail line; the situation equal to any in the city, being at the corner of Walnut and Second streets. The whole, or any part of the Stock, will be sold, as will best suit the purchaser. The terms may be known, by applying to

JAMES MOORE, JUN.

Who has For Sale,



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Sloops,

Well calculated for the river trade—

The PEGGY, about 30 tons burthen, Mulberry and Red Cedar frame, and remarkably stout, of an easy draught of water, rigging in good order.

The SALLY, about 30 tons, sails well, and in complete order for the lumber business.

☞ All persons indebted to the late firm of *Goldthwait & Baldwin, W. B. Goldthwait, Goldthwait & Moore*, or the subscriber, are earnestly requested to make speedy payment to

JAMES MOORE, JUN.

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PETER BLIGHT

HAS removed his Counting House to his House in the Northern Liberties near Nice Town, Germantown road.

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NOTICE.

Bank of North America,

August 28th, 1798.

THOSE Persons who have Notes or Bills to pay at this Bank are informed,

That regular Notices will be put under a sealed cover directed to the respective payer and lodged in the Post Office every Monday until the return of the citizens.

RICHARD WELLS, Cashier.

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COLLECTOR's OFFICE,

PHILADELPHIA, August 30, 1798.

THE business of the Custom House will from this day be transacted at Chester, during the continuance of the fever which now prevails in this city; and in consequence thereof, the merchants are hereby notified, that payment of all bonds for duties to the United States, payable at this office, may be made either at the Custom House in Chester, or at the Bank of the United States.

Collector's Office, Philadelphia, Aug. 30.

REMOVAL.

THE Office of the Secretary of the Commissioners for carrying into effect the twenty first Article of the Treaty of Friendship, Limits and Navigation, between His Catholic Majesty and the United States of America, is for the present removed from No 54, South Second street, to a large two story brick house on the right hand going up the Germantown road, just above the Globe Mill, usually called Masters's house, being a very airy and healthy situation; to which persons having claims to exhibit, or enquiries to make, may come or send with the greatest safety. Letters, post paid, Bills and Notes, to be noted or protested, and directions respecting any kind of Notarial business inclosed and left at the Post Office will be duly attended to, by

PETER LOHRA.

Philadelphia, august 30 §1w

The Office of the Committee,

Appointed to superintend the building of the Frigate to be loaned to the United States, is removed to No. 112 Spruce street—of which those gentlemen who have not already come forward with their subscriptions will please to take notice.

ROBERT RITCHIE, Sec'ry.

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To be Sold,

An elegant and convenient House,

In Chesnut street, next door to the Bank of North America

THE Lot is thirty by one hundred and seventy eight. The House has been thoroughly repaired within a few months.——Apply to the Printer.

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HEALTH-OFFICE,

11th September, 1798.

FELLOW-CITIZENS,

OUR address of the 1st inst was intended to present to your view the deplorable state of our city, and to excite into active exertion the philanthropy and benevolence so eminently characteristic of the citizens of Pennsylvania. The same generous sentiments which you have displayed has influenced the worthy and benevolent citizens of Baltimore; who always alive to the feelings of humanity, have, it appears by the public papers, agreed to a subscription for the relief of our distressed fellow citizens.

We return them all the gratitude and respect to which dispositions so amiable are entitled;—but it becomes our duty publicly to state that a fund has been provided for the purpose, upon the principal of a loan in anticipation of the liberality and justice of our Legislature, which precludes the necessity of donations in money from the humane citizens of our sister states.—Contributions of provisions from our fellow-citizens in the country, as well in New Jersey as in our own State, have been forwarded for the use of the distressed, with a liberality which does honor to the donors

We flatter ourselves that similar donations will be continued by those generous individuals, who are contiguous to the city, and can with convenience spare a part of their produce for the relief of suffering humanity.

By order of the Board of Managers.

WM. JONES, President.

Attest

TIMOTHY PAXSON, Clerk.

New Encampment.

The Committee who superintend the encampment at Master's place near the Mill Pond on the Germantown Road, about two miles from the city, respectfully inform their country friends that they stand in need of an immediate supply of vegetables and straw for the use of those distressed citizens who are flying from the present calamity. The committee flatter themselves that the same liberality will be found in the farmer, and others, to supply this Encampment, as has been so that on the Commons near Schuylkill both having the same laudable object in view.

John Inskeep
Jon. Robeson
Isaac W. Morris. } COMMITTEE.

Camp, Masters' Place,
September 10, '98.

Agreeable to notification in several of the newspapers of the City of Philadelphia, requesting a meeting of the merchants, traders, mechanics and other citizens, at the Union School House in Germantown, on Wednesday 29th August, at 4 o'clock P. M. in order to fix on a suitable character to be offered at the ensuing election to represent the City of Philadelphia in Congress, in the vacancy occasioned by the decease of John Swanwick, Esq. and also in the next Congress—A senator, to represent in the state senate, the city of Philadelphia and County of Delaware—and six persons to represent the city in the house of assembly.—A numerous and respectable body of the freemen of the city attended. The business of the meeting being opened, a letter from captain Joseph Anthony, addressed to the chairman of the meeting was read expressing a decided opinion on the necessity of uniting the interest of the friends of the constitution and government in the choice of their representative, that he conceived Mr. Robert Waln well qualified for a seat in Congress, and soliciting his fellow citizens that his name may not be offered in competition with that gentleman, who has his full concurrence and approbation.

ROBERT WALN,

was nominated and unanimously carried as the Candidate for Congress

FRANCIS GURNEY,

as state Senator for the district composed of the City and County of Philadelphia and county of Delaware; and as members to represent the City in assembly—

Jacob Hiltzheimer,
Lawrence Seckel,
Andrew Bayard,
William Hall, printer.
Samuel W. Fisher,
John Clement Stocker.

The question being put, will this meeting support the foregoing ticket? it was unanimously agreed to, and it was also recommended to the freemen of the City of Philadelphia attached to the federal government for their support, and to those of the County of Philadelphia and County of Delaware in support of the Senator.

Ordered, that the minutes of the meeting, signed by the chairman and secretary, be published in the newspapers of the City, for the general information of the electors.

LEVI HOLLINGSWORTH, *Chairman.*

DANIEL SMITH, *Secretary.*

Germantown, 29th August, 1798.

Pursuant to the Act of Congress, passed on the ninth day of July, 1798, entitled "An Act to provide for the valuation of lands and dwelling houses and the enumeration of slaves within the United States,"—NOTICE is hereby given, that the first meeting of the Commissioners under the said Act, for the state of Pennsylvania, will be held on Monday, the twenty second day of October next, at the borough of Reading, in the said state.

C. READ,
Commissioner first named.

Reading Sept 8, 1798.

To the Creditors of John Dickson, of Milton, in the County of Northumberland, and State of Pennsylvania.

GENTLEMEN,

TAKE NOTICE, that I have applied to the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Northumberland for the benefit of the several laws made for the relief of Insolvent Debtors, and that the court have appointed the last Monday in October next to hear me and my creditors at the said Court in the town of Sunbury, at which time and place you are desired to attend.

Milton, 4th Sept. JOHN DICKSON.

PENNSYLVANIA, ss.

In the Name and by the Authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

BY THOMAS MIFFLIN,
Governor of the said Commonwealth,

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, it has been stated to me by the President and Directors of the Bank of Pennsylvania, That on the night of Saturday the first instant, the House now occupied by the said Bank, commonly called Carpenters Hall, was burglariously entered by some villain, or villains unknown, and therefrom a considerable number of Bank Notes of various descriptions and denominations were stolen and carried away: TO THE INTENT that the perpetrator, or perpetrators of so great a crime, and the accessaries thereto, may be discovered and brought to condign punishment, I have deemed it expedient to issue this Proclamation, HEREBY offering and promising a REWARD of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS to any person, or persons, who shall discover the perpetrator, or perpetrators of the said crime, or any of them, or any accessary thereto, before or after the fact, to be paid on the conviction of all or any of the offenders: AND I do hereby further offer and promise A FREE AND ENTIRE PARDON unto any one of the perpetrators, or accessaries aforesaid of the commission of the said crime, who shall make a full and satisfactory disclosure of all the circumstances relative to the contriving and accomplishing the same, and of the names and places of abode of his or her associates, so that such associates may be apprehended and convicted: AND all the Judges, Justices, Sheriffs, Constables, and other Public Officers of this Commonwealth (according to the duties of their respective stations) are hereby required and enjoined to use all lawful means to detect and bring to justice each and every person concerned in contriving, or perpetrating the crime aforesaid.

GIVEN under my hand and the Great Seal of the State, at Germantown, the (L. S.) third day of September, in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, and of the Commonwealth the twenty-third

THOMAS MIFFLIN.

By the Governor:

A. J. DALLAS,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

LANDING,

At South Street wharf, the cargo of the ship Connecticut, from Batavia—

About 300 tons of Java Coffee,
of the growth of 1794 and 1795

60 tons of Java Sugar,

In cannisters—for sale by

PETER BLIGHT,

WHO ALSO OFFERS FOR SALE,

150 hhds choice Jamaica Sugars
Jamaica rum in hhds
Brandy 1st and 4th proof in pipes, hhds. and quarter casks
Madeira in pipes
Old Batavia Arrack

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For Sale at Public Auction,

ON THE PREMISES,

FOUR LOTS on Harper and Keith's wharf, in Alexandria, on the 26th day of October next, if not sold at private sale before that time. One of these lots is near the end of the wharf, twenty feet beyond which the water is two fathoms deep, about forty feet out three fathoms, fifty feet out the water is four fathoms, and grows deeper until it comes to the channel, which is about seventy feet from the end of the wharf. There is as much dirt belonging to the bank as will level the wharf, which may want raising about a foot near the end. There is in this sale an half acre lot very fit for a tavern; it is well watered, and an excellent stand for that business. This property will be sold for ready money, and altogether or separate, as may best suit the purchaser; it lays on the lower side of Alexandria, which is now improving very fast. A sketch of the ground may be seen in the hands of the Printer hereof. For terms at private sale, apply to WM HARTSHORNE, or to the subscriber, in Alexandria.

JOHN HARPER.

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ADVERTISEMENT.

WHEREAS JAMES CUMMING & Co. late of the city of Philadelphia, merchants, have assigned over all their effects, real, personal and mixed, to the subscribers, for the benefit of all their creditors, who shall subscribe the said assignment within six months from the date hereof.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, to all persons who are indebted to the said estate, that they are required to make immediate payment of their respective accounts, to the Assignees, at their office, No. 62, Dock street, in failure whereof actions will be instituted for the recovery of such debts as are not discharged accordingly.

John Travis,
John Waddington,
James Taylor,
Cornelius Comegys. } Assignees.

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Territory of the United States north-west of the River Ohio,

Washington County, ss.

WHEREAS a Writ of Attachment hath issued out of the court of Common Pleas in said county, directed to the Sheriff of said county, returnable to June term 1797, at the suit of Griffin Greene, esq. against the Goods and Chattels, Lands, Tenements, Effects, Rights and Credits of Asa Barret, for Seventy Dollars *And whereas*, the said Sheriff hath by virtue of said Writ attached a Lot of Land lying in said county, containing one hundred acres, the property of the Defendant. *NOTICE* is therefore given to the said Asa Barret that unless he doth appear and give Special Bail to the Action, Judgment will be entered by Default, and the land above-mentioned will be sold as the law directs. *Benjamin Ives Gilman, Prothonotary.*

Marietta, July 30th, 1798. 2aw6w

Just Received and for sale by

WILLIAM YOUNG,

Corner of Second and Chesnut Street—and at the Office of the Editor, price 3 16ths of a dollar,

AN ORATION,

Spoken at Hartford, on the Anniversary of Independence. July 4, 1798.

BY THEODORE DWIGHT.

Ship & Insurance Broker,

THE Subscriber, encouraged by the advice of his friends, offers his service to the public as a Ship and Insurance Broker.——He proposes to buy and sell vessels and every thing relating thereto—assist masters of vessels and others in entering and clearing at the Custom House, procuring and shipping freight, settling Insurance and all other mercantile accounts, and have on hand the necessary Blanks and Stamps.

Papers in foreign languages translated, and information given in general mercantile matters—From a knowledge gained by long experience of every branch of business he hopes to be useful to those who please to favor him with their commands. *SAMUEL EMERY.*

Philadelphia, august 24th, 1798. §

FOR SALE,

The Cargo of the Schr. Sincerity
Benjamin Monteith Master, from Laguira,

CONSISTING OF

943 Fenegas of Cocoa
4000 lb. of Flora Indigo
210 Bales of Cotton
4 Packages of Goat Skins

By Willings & Francis.
No. Eleventh street.

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Notice is hereby given,

THAT application will be made to the Treasury of the United States for the renewal of the following Certificates of Six Per Cent Funded Stock, standing in the name of *John Carbonell*, of London, the said Certificates having been lost on board the Swallow Packet, Captain Kidd. from Falmouth to New-York

No. 3072 1 *Cert. for* 2000 *dolls.*
2964 1 *do.* 5000
10,577 1 *do.* 3000

Willings & Francis.

Philadelphia, august 30. co6w

FOR SALE,

18 Bags Fresh Cloves.

Willings & Francis.

june 29. dtf

WILLIAM M'LAWS,

SADLER & HARNESS MAKER,

HAS Removed to the Corner of Chesnut and Twelfth-streets, on the Commons, where he will receive and execute the orders of his friends and wholesale customers, with usual attention & expedition during the prevalence of the present Epidemic, where it has not made its appearance this season, nor during any of the years past.

august 25

Madras and Ventapaulem HANDKERCHIEFS,

Searsuckers and Carradarries,

of the newest and most approved patterns, entitled to the drawback, just received,

AND FOR SALE BY

Alex. J. Miller & Co.
No. 64, South Front street.

may 18. 5

Doctor GOURDES,

No. 28, Fine-Street;

Late SURGEON in the armies of St. Domingo OFFERS his services to the inhabitants of Philadelphia in the line of his profession. He flatters himself that his long successful experience in the West-India fevers, will procure him the confidence of the citizens of this city; particularly those attacked by the present Epidemic.

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☞ The Subscribers have removed for the present from Penn-street to Eleventh-street, between Filbert and High-streets.

Willings & Francis.

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Arrived in the ship Pennsylvania, Capt. WILLIAMSON, *from Hamburgh, now lying at Chester.*

A Number of GERMAN SERVANTS, men, women, boys and girls, amongst whom are Gunsmiths, Carpenters, Turners, Taylors, Blacksmiths, Gardeners, Masons, Coachmen, Huntsmen, &c. &c. whose time of servitude is to be disposed of on board the Ship, by

GURNEY & SMITH.

august 28.

Bengal Goods,

CONSISTING OF

BANDANNA HANDKERCHIEFS,

Chintz Cossas	Maharazgungy
Chintz Guzzinas	Tookereys
Eliabad Baftas	Wrought Muslins
Long Drawers	

Coarse Sugars in bags, fit for the European markets

ALSO,

Carolina Indigo
Coffee in hogsheads

A few pipes of very old and very choice Madeira WINE

For Sale, on reasonable terms, by

John Craig,
No. 12, Dock-street.

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FOR SALE, BY

JOHN MILLER, JUN.

NO. 8, CHESNUT STREET,

100 hogsheads RUM,

Of high proof and fine flavour

july 19 §

Bank of Pennsylvania.

THE Bank of Pennsylvania is removed to Germantown,—where the business will be transacted to-morrow, in the Union School House.

JONATHAN SMITH, Cashier.

september 4 §

NOTICE.

Bank of the United States,

September 4, 1798.

THE Public are informed that after the 9th inst this Bank will be opened at 9 o'clock in the morning, and so remain until noon.

G. SIMPSON, Cashier.

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NOTICE.

Bank of the United States,

August 28, 1798.

THOSE persons who have Notes or Bills to pay at this Bank, are informed,

That regular Notices will be put under a sealed cover directed to the respective payer and lodged in the Post Office every Monday until the return of the Citizens.

G. SIMPSON, cashier.

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Pennsylvania Hospital,

9 mo. 1, 1798.

NO person with an infectious disease, can be admitted into this house; it is therefore earnestly recommended to the citizens, not to send or bring any such patient to the gate, who is ill with the prevailing fever. Several persons having been sent here improperly, is the reason of giving this caution.

By Order of the Sitting Managers, } FRANCIS HIGGINS, *Stew'd.*

NOW LANDING,

From on board the brig Amiable Matilda, from Bourdeaux, and for sale by the subscriber,

88 casks CLARET
72 do. do. of a superior quality
2 trunks green PARASOLS

Thomas Musgrove,
No. 11, Walnut-street.

WHO HAS ON HAND,

White Wine in half Casks
Sweet Oil of a superior quality, in boxes and baskets
Lunelle, Sauterne, Irish Market, Macarty and Medoc } WINES in Cases } Entitled to Drawback.
Rota Wine in hhds.
Pimento in bags.

may 29. eotf

HAPPY DISCOVERY.

A certain Cure for that alarming and dreadful Disorder

The Yellow Fever,

As well as any other dangerous putrid fever, fever and ague, and other inveterate and complicated diseases, by the use of the

POUDRE UNIQUE,

WELL known and patented in England, France, Poland, and all the capital cities in Europe, where the most astonishing cures have been effected on persons judged incurable by all physicians. In a Treatise printed in London, on the properties of this powder, by T. Seymour, M. D. late Chemist to his Majesty, there are stated two hundred cases, where this most valuable remedy has proved infallible, in *all kind of fevers, pleurisy, bloody flux, inverate rheumatisms, sciatica, apoplexy, paralysis, yellow jaundice, ringworm, worms in children and in grown persons, whites, chronical head and stomach aches, hepatick and nephretical or stone cholic, the kings evil, scurvy and the most inveterate and complicated venereal disease.* It is likewise the best preparative for the small pox and measles; of the greatest utility for young as well as for elder ladies at the critical epoch of their life. The efficacy of this powder in several of the above diseases has been discovered by chance, and so it has been in the *yellow fever* last year, by Mr. Many, who cured several by administering only *two* of the said *powders*, and lost not a single patient which he undertook to cure, as proved and attested by the here annexed certificates, whose original may be seen at *Andrew Hadfeg's umbrella shop, No. 131, corner of Chesnut and Fourth streets*, the only place where these powders are to be had, with proper directions for the use of them.—*Price two dollars.*

The usefulness and certainty of this remedy being so great for so many dangerous disorders, any person wishing to be provided with those powders, will please to apply very soon, as the quantity at hand is not very large, and it is doubtful if for a long time, or if ever any other *genuine* will be imported, the secret remaining only in the hands of the inventor, in Europe, and never being communicated to, or discovered by any other person.

N. B. In the yellow and putrid fevers, this powder must be taken the second, or at least the third day.

We the subscribers, during the late sickness in this city, having taken the yellow fever, applied to Mr. Mahy for his medical assistance, we do hereby certify, that by a certain powder, called the *Poudre Unique*, we were perfectly recovered from the said fatal sickness, and from an experience of the happy effects of the above most valuable medicine, consider it our duty to make the same known, for the benefit of our fellow citizens.

Margaret Jones,
Mylus O'Connor,
Jesse Turner,
Christen Rebecca Dow,
Catherin Apple,
Ann Grover,
William Bills,
David Williams, carpenter,
William T. Donaldson, mast-maker.

Mr. Mahy's well known Plaister, for all kind of wounds and sores, to be had at the above direction, No. 131, Chesnut street.

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ANOTHER STRONG PROOF

Of the great and unparalleled efficacy of

DR. CHURCH's COUGH DROPS,

IN the Cure of

Coughs, Colds, Asthmas & Consumptions.

New-York, July 10, 1798.

To DR. CHURCH,

Sir,

For upwards of *Twelve Years*, I have laboured under a severe Cough, shortness of breath spitting of matter from my lungs and often of clotted blood, till at length I was so reduced as to be unable to walk across my room, and owing to the violence of my cough and the shortness of breath could get no rest day or night.—Hearing of your excellent medicine, the Cough Drops, I procured a bottle; I took a dose as soon as I got it, from which I found instantaneous relief, and by continuing it for three days, I bless God I am restored to perfect health. As I believe you to have been the instrument in the hands of Providence, of saving my life, I must intreat you to publish this for the benefit of any who may be in my situation, as I am confident it is one of the best medicines in the world for those complaints.

I am, Sir, your grateful servant

NICHOLAS STAGG,
Little Robinson-street.

CHURCH's COUGH DROPS,

Are prepared and sold by the Inventor and sole proprietor, Dr CHURCH, at his Dispensary, Washington-street, New-York, and at his office, No 1, South Third-street, Philadelphia, and sold by appointment at Mr Weedman's 112 William-street, and Stilwell & Desforest, 168 Pearl-street, New-York. Mancius, Albany, Price, Baltimore, Thomas, Alexandria, Wilson, Wilmington, &c. &c.

OBSERVE,

As a counterfeit preparation of this medicine has been industriously circulated through some of the principal cities in the United States, persons are requested to purchase them of such persons only as have Dr Church's appointment for vending the same. Powers, Roughkeepsie—Chappel, Head of Elk—Bond and Co. Newcastle—Hemitsh, Lancaster—Blauvelt, Brunswick (N. J.) Gordon, Trenton, &c.

* * Patients letters (Post-paid) addressed to Dr Church, New-York, duly attended to.

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TO BE LET,

And immediate possession given;

A Large convenient, well finished house, No 215 High street, lately occupied by Doctor Wistar, with Coach house and Stables—Enquire of *WILLIAM SHEAFF,*
No 168, High-street.

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OX BEEF.

100 Barrels } of Beef of best quality, put
50 half Barrels } up with care for long voyages.
100 Barrels of Connecticut Pork.
50 Barrels of Connecticut Tongues.

WINES.

35 Pipes of Madeira Wine
30 Pipes of Port
30 half casks of Sherry
30 Casks of Lisbon
300 Cases of French Claret, of excellent quality.
800 Barrels of Scraped FLOUR,
100 Barrels of Condemned, and
20 Boxes of best Durham Mustard.

For Sale by

John Skyrin,
Landenberger's Wharf.

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Pennsylvania Population Company.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders, that an assessment of Six Dollars is levied on each share,—payable, one half in 30, and the remainder in 60 days from the 3d inst. which they are requested to pay to the Treasurer of the company at the Company's Office, No. 53 North Fourth street, agreeably to the times above mentioned. The Proprietors will please to recollect the necessity of being punctual, otherwise the forfeiture of their shares will be incurred, agreeably to the constitution.

By Order of the Board.

SOL. MARACHE, *Sec'ry.*

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